UNITED STATES DISTRICT COU FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

SHAWN BERNARD TYSON,

Petitioner,

Civil Action No: 25-1426 (SDW)

v.

WARDEN THOMPSON,

Respondent.

WHEREAS OPINION

February 26, 2025

WIGENTON, District Judge.

THIS MATTER having come before this Court upon pro se Petitioner Shawn Bernard Tyson's ("Petitioner") petition for a writ of habeas corpus pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 2241 (ECF No. 1); and

WHEREAS the filing fee for a petition for writ of habeas corpus is \$5.00. Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 54.3(a), the filing fee is required to be paid at the time the petition is presented for filing; and

WHEREAS if a prisoner does not pay the filing fee and instead seeks to proceed in forma pauperis, that petitioner must submit (a) an affidavit setting forth information which establishes that the petitioner is unable to pay the fees and costs of the proceedings, and (b) a certification signed by an authorized officer of the institution certifying (1) the amount presently on deposit in the prisoner's prison account and, (2) the greatest amount on deposit in the prisoner's institutional account during the six-month period prior to the date of the certification. L.Civ.R. 81.2(b). If the institutional account of the petitioner exceeds \$200, the petitioner shall not be considered eligible to proceed in forma pauperis. L.Civ.R. 81.2(c).; and

WHEREAS Petitioner did not pay the filing fee or submit an in forma pauperis

application; and

WHEREAS the Clerk will be ordered to administratively terminate the Petition without prejudice pending receipt of the filing fee or a complete *in forma pauperis* application.

An appropriate order follows.

SUSAN D. WIGENTON, U.S.D.J.